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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION DATED DECEMBER 12, 2006

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Honorable Commissioner:

This is in response to the Office Action dated December 12, 2006, for which the three-month shortened statutory period for reply expired on March 12, 2007. A petition and fee for a one-month extension of time is being filed herewith. While it is believed that no additional extension of time or any other additional fees are necessary, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to grant any needed extension of time and to charge any additional fees which may be required for this Response, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-1479.

Amendment to the **Claims** are reflected in the **Listing of Claims** which begins on page 3 of this paper. The Amendments to the claims are to correct mere formalities and do not add new matter or require further examination.

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